

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Tsuyoshi NAGANUMA, et al. Docket No: Q88061

Appln. No.: 10/538,514

Group Art Unit: 4133

Confirmation No.: 1878

Examiner: Walter E. Webb

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For: SOLID DRUG FOR ORAL USE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

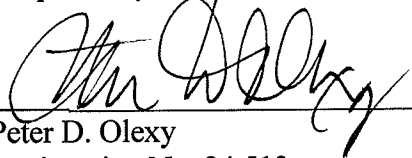
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 1, 2008 to December 1, 2008.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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